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| STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW                        |                            |                              | Attorney Docket Number:<br>20300/60302<br>PATENT |  |
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Sir:

In compliance with M.P.E.P. 713.04, the Applicant provides this Statement of Substance of Interview concerning the telephonic interview conducted on March 23, 2007 with Examiner Frederick C. Nicolas.

- (A) <u>Exhibits/Prior Art/Arguments of Applicant</u>. No exhibit was shown or demonstration was conducted, no prior art was discussed, and the Applicant did not make any arguments.
- (B) <u>Claims</u>. Independent claims
- (C) <u>Amendments</u>. Minor amendments to claims to remove "adapted to/for" and "for engaging" language from certain claims.
- (D) Results. Pending claims allowable.

Although not believed necessary, the Office is hereby authorized to charge any fees required or credit any overpayments relating to this communication to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at 202-220-4420 to discuss any matter regarding this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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